

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

*Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer I. B. Franks,

is a Private in Company \_\_\_\_\_ Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this  
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 27th Legislature of the State of  
Texas, approved March 29th, 1901, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited  
as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be sur-  
rendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and  
Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company  
Commander.

Name	<u>I. B. Franks,</u>	Rank	<u>Private,</u>
Age	<u>34 years, 11 months,</u>	Where born	<u>Edwards Co. Texas,</u>
Height	<u>6 feet 2 inches,</u>	Occupation	<u>Ranchman,</u>
Hair	<u>Dark Brown,</u>	Enlisted Where	<u>Austin, Texas,</u>
Eyes	<u>Gray,</u>	Enlisted When	<u>July 27, 1922,</u>
Complexion	<u>Dark,</u>	Enlisted by whom	_____

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 27th

day of July 1922

Thomas W. Crawford  
The Adjutant General.

Attest: W. L. Wright  
Captain Ranger Force  
Commanding Co. \_\_\_\_\_

Commission surrendered  
1/1/28 on account  
of reduction in force  
J. M. Beatty

## ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF Travis

I, I.B. Franks, born in Edwards County  
in the State of Texas, aged 34 years and 10 months, and by occupation a  
Ranchman do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 27th day of  
July, 1922, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,  
unless sooner discharged by proper authority. And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such  
bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear  
that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of  
the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the  
United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution  
of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted  
as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I further-  
more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-  
ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my  
appointment. So help me God.

I. B. Franks

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27th day of July, 1922 A. D. 191.....

L L Haynes

Fill in description below.

Notary Public, Travis Co. Texas.

I certify that I.B. Franks, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me  
previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and  
will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 34 years  
11 months of age. Height six feet 2 inches. Complexion dark Eyes gray  
Hair brown Born in Edwards County of State of Texas  
Occupation Ranchman Married or single married Previous service.....

Residence Rock Springs, Texas,

Remarks: .....

Captain Co.....Ranger Force.

*Santa Fe*

A. G. O. Form 21.  
Authorized July 7, 1905.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE

Santa Fe

Name I. B. Franks,

Rank Private,

Company \_\_\_\_\_, Ranger Force

Station \_\_\_\_\_

Warrant dated July 27, 1922

Discharged January 1, 1923

E. L. STECK, AUSTIN